

KNOT IDENTIFICATION COMPETITION

PROVIDED BY KYEM

Paper showing the knots

Score sheet

PROVIDED BY PARTICIPANT

Pen or pencil

HOW YOU WILL BE JUDGED

This is an individual competition

You shall be given a paper showing 20 knots used in SAR, rescue, and related activities (or formerly used in such activities)--You shall, next to the illustration of the knot, write the name and the use for the knot.

THERE IS A 10 MINUTE TIME LIMIT FOR THE COMPLETION OF THE COMPETITION FROM THE TIME THE JUDGE SAYS "BEGIN" TO THE 10 MINUTE LIMIT

Judging is based on:

1. How many knots were correctly identified;
2. Was the primary use for the knot correctly identified and related to the knot named; and
3. Elapsed time to complete the competition.

10 Points are awarded for each knot correctly identified, 10 Points are awarded for stating the correct use for the knot which was identified (the use has to be a legitimate use for the knot which you identified)

Elapsed time shall be used only to break a tie with the shortest time being the winner.

To protect the integrity of this competition the knots which are the subject of the competition are not identified prior to the beginning of the competition.